

DISPOSITION: On 4-13-56, the court entered a temporary restraining order enjoining the defendant against the acts complained of. On 4-20-56, the defendant having consented, the court entered a decree perpetually enjoining and restraining the defendant from directly or indirectly causing to be introduced or delivered for introduction into interstate commerce, poultry or any other such article which was adulterated as alleged in the complaint.

24045. Dressed poultry. (F. D. C. No. 40340. S. No. 75-982 M.)

QUANTITY: 473 lbs. in 7 crates at Worchester, Mass.

SHIPPED: 6-11-57, from Belfast, Maine, by Maplewood Packing Co.

LABEL IN PART: "Maine's Best * * * Hillcrest Poultry Co. * * * Chemically Treated With Diethylstilbestrol."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed the presence of pellets of added diethylstilbestrol in the edible portions of the birds.

LIBELED: 6-27-57, Dist. Mass.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (1)—when shipped, the article contained an added poisonous or deleterious substance, diethylstilbestrol, which may render the article injurious to health.

DISPOSITION: 7-22-57. Default—the necks of the poultry, which contained the diethylstilbestrol, were removed and destroyed and the remainder was delivered to a charitable organization.

SPICES, FLAVORS, AND SEASONING MATERIALS

24046. Nutmeg siftings. (F. D. C. No. 40115. S. Nos. 67-089/90 M.)

QUANTITY: 1,429 lbs. at Baltimore, Md.

SHIPPED: 1-30-57, from New York, N. Y.

LIBELED: 3-29-57, Dist. Md.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained insects and insect fragments while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 4-15-57. Consent—claimed by Karl H. Landes and E. Balint, Inc., New York, N. Y. Segregated; 657 lbs. destroyed.

24047. Imitation vanilla extract. (F. D. C. No. 40170. S. No. 45-801 M.)

QUANTITY: 52 8-oz. btls., at Lineboro, Md.

SHIPPED: 2-8-57, from York, Pa., by Morris Drug Co.

LIBELED: 4-23-57, Dist. Md.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (2)—the article, when shipped, contained an added poisonous and deleterious substance, coumarin, which is unsafe within the meaning of 406 (a), since it is a substance not required in the production of imitation vanilla extract and can be avoided by good manufacturing practice.

DISPOSITION: 5-22-57. Default—destruction.

24048. Mustard seed. (F. D. C. No. 40185. S. Nos. 64-201/3 M.)

QUANTITY: 2,400 100-lb. bags at Rochester, N. Y., in possession of Monroe Warehouse System, Inc.

SHIPPED: Between 9-5-55 and 10-17-56, from Manson and Great Falls, Mont., and Lethbridge, Alberta, Canada.

LIBELED: 4-25-57, W. Dist. N. Y.